

Read about the happenings in Bucks County as related in the columns of The Courier.

Cloudy and continued cold to-day and tonight. Thursday, fair with rising temperature.

GERMAN RETREAT INDICATED AS A ROUT AS AMERICAN ARMY COLUMNS STORM ACROSS COLOGNE PLAIN BEYOND THE ROER; DRIVE IS MADE ON "A VAST, DEAD CITY"

Stores or Hotels Open; Scene of "Indescribable Desolation"

NAZI RADIO WARNING

Amans Admit Allied Bombers Over Duesseldorf, Muenster Areas

International News Service American Army and Infantry units stormed across the Cologne plain beyond the Roer River amid growing indications the German retreat had begun.

American First Army forces moved within nine miles of Cologne as it swept up to within sight of the Erft River and the Army Paper Stars and Stripes quoted staff officers as saying the "German Army is licked west of the Rhine."

However the advance on Cologne drive on a vast, dead city, according to a captured German officer.

State 4 New Members For War Mothers Group

Four new members were initiated at the meeting of Bristol Chapter, American War Mothers, in Bracken home last evening. They are: James Daniels, Mrs. Harry Polm, Mrs. Leon Cherubini, Mrs. Jos Shapcott.

number of knitted squares were made in for an afghan, Mrs. Paul placing them together.

Card party is arranged for Monday evening next in the post home. Mrs. Charles Locke, chairman, and her committee members, Mrs. Joseph Ellis, Mrs. Frank Dinger, and Mrs. Robert Moss, will visit the Naval Hospital, Philadelphia.

Birthdays greetings were extended Mrs. White, Mrs. Moss and Mrs. A. Wiesner, Sr. Sister greeting cards are being sent to daughters and sons of members in the service. The meeting closed with prayer for those in service, by Mrs. White, chaplain. Cake and coffee were served by Daniels, Mrs. Jacob Doster, Wolfinger, Mrs. William George and Mrs. Locke.

Release of Pigeons in Global War Told to Rotarians

ANDALUSIA, Feb. 28—Charles J. Le, representing a Philadelphia newspaper, kept Bensalem Rotarians interested last evening when he spoke on the importance of pigeons in the present war.

Mr. Love informed that the earliest record of the use of pigeons was in 43 B. C. He told of the important work in which they participated down through the centuries, mentioned that many thousands of birds are being used on all fronts in the present global war. The speaker's description of the bone structure and general physical make-up of the pigeon was eagerly listened to.

The presiding officer was Jacob Pfeiffer. Guests at the session were Arthur Watts, Philadelphia; Robert M. Scott, Eddington. Next Tuesday will be observed as signal night, with Elmer Vansant and Otto Grupp in charge.

Cadet John C. Bowen Is On Scholastic Honor List

WAYNE, Feb. 28—Cadet John C. Bowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bowen, Garfield street, Bristol, is honored this week by inclusion in the first semester scholastic honor list of the Valley Forge Military Academy here.

Cadet Bowen was awarded a Silver Star, to be worn on the cuff of his uniform, indicating an average of between 85 and 90 per cent on all subjects including military science and tactics. Inclusion on the merit list carries highly valued privileges of extra leaves from regular duty.

CHIMNEY FIRE

Bristol Consolidated Fire Company was summoned yesterday to a chimney fire at the home of Arthur Swangler, Old Bath street. No damage was caused, it is reported.

LOCAL WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

FOR 24 HOUR PERIOD ENDING 8 A. M. FROM 8 A. M. WEATHER OBSERVATORY BRISTOL, PA.

Temperature Readings 42 F. Maximum 26 F. Minimum 16 F. Range

P. C. Relative Humidity 82 Precipitation (inches) .82

TIDES AT BRISTOL High water 4:56 a. m.; 5:17 p. m. Low water 12:09 p. m.

UP-TO-PRESS-TIME WAR BULLETINS

(By International News Service)

ERFT RIVER CROSSED BY ALLIES

Paris—The Germans' last natural defense barrier before the Rhine, the Erft River, was crossed today by advance forces of the United States First Army which punched eastward to within eight miles of the big Rhine city of Cologne.

A spokesman at headquarters of Field Marshal Sir Bernard L. Montgomery said that there was mounting evidence that the Germans had begun a large-scale withdrawal west of the Rhine as four powerful Allied armies shattered Nazi resistance along a 135-mile front.

A staff officer of the American First Army declared that "the German Army is licked west of the Rhine."

Headquarters imposed a security blackout on the advances of the rampaging American Ninth Army, last reported 15 miles from the German Ruhr industrial center of Duesseldorf.

The Ninth Army, which plunged northward toward a junction with the Canadian First Army sweeping southeast, was only 30 miles separated from the British and Dominion troops.

Ninth Army forces swept up to the Erft River, last natural defense barrier before the Rhine, at Koenigshaven, and U. S. First Army forces, only nine miles from the prize city of Cologne, were within sight of the Erft. Resistance on the Canadian First Army front seems to be crumbling in view of the irresistible weight of the Allied attack, although the Allies have not broken through there to the extent that the Americans have on the Ninth Army front.

Lieut. Gen. S. Patton's Third Army hammered forward in the Bitburg area against disorganized German forces and threatened the Trier bastion of the enemy from both the southeast and the northwest.

HERE AND THERE IN BUCKS COUNTY TOWNS

Activities of Interest To All In The Various Communities

GLEANNED BY SCRIBES

Discussing the dairy situation at the meeting of Solebury Farmers' Club, entertained in Trinity Hall, Solebury, on Saturday evening by Mr. and Mrs. John H. Herring and Mr. and Mrs. Abram A. Coan, Frank L. Magill said in part: "Why certain dairies have been indicted by the government for over-production and other groups have been penalized when it is extremely hard to procure cream, cheese and butter."

Francis A. Shelley Dies; To Be Buried On Saturday

TULLYTOWN, Feb. 28—Suffering from a heart ailment for a few weeks, Francis A. Shelley, 60, died at the home of Mrs. Elmira Gillingham, Main street, yesterday.

Mr. Shelley's survivors are a sister and two brothers, Miss Anna Shelley, John and Charles Shelley, all of Burlington, N. J. He had made his home here for 17 years.

Relatives and friends, also employees of Warner Co., and members of Bristol Lodge, No. 1169, L. O. O. Moose, are invited to attend the funeral on Saturday at nine a. m., from the residence of Charles A. Shelley, 402 Lawrence street, Burlington. Requiem Mass will be said in St. Paul's Church, Burlington, at 10 o'clock, with burial in St. Paul's Cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening.

Reports Sale of Farm On Swamp Road, Newtown

Previews Incorporated, the National Real Estate Clearing House, reports the sale of "Temora Farms," situated on Swamp Road, Newtown, and owned by John E. Abbott, to a client of J. Carroll Molloy, broker of Doylestown. Mr. Abbott is associated with the Museum of Modern Art.

This historic estate comprises 122 acres of rolling, fertile farmland which has been under cultivation for over two centuries. Giant trees and mature box hedges speak for its age, as does the authentic, unspoiled 18th century Manor House, which stands isolated from the group of 20 farm buildings. Built of field stone, it has maintained intact such invaluable features as the original window panes, the old locks and hinges, and the pegged frame work. The mantels and paneling are of museum value. Beside the historic interest attached to "Temora Farms," it is operated on a business basis as a profitably productive modern dairy farm.

ARRIVES IN ENGLAND

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 28—Pvt. R. Verne Leary, son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Leary, has arrived in England. He is with the Headquarters Battery, 220th Field Artillery group.

New York Arrival



Hi-Ya waves film star Lana Turner as she steps from a train in New York City following a trip from the coast. She's on her way to Washington to make a personal appearance at the opening of her latest motion picture. (International)

RINGS WORTH \$800 STOLEN AT DOYLESTOWN

Bag Containing Jewelry Is Picked Up During Busy Hour Friday Afternoon

POLICE MAKE SEARCH

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 28—A handbag containing rings valued at over \$800 were reported stolen Friday afternoon from a small gift shop here. The shop, conducted by Mrs. Ernest Bartlett, of Fountainville, was filled with customers at the time.

Four women customers were in the store, three of them well known to Mrs. Bartlett. The fourth was a young colored woman who stated that she was looking for a glass prism similar to those attached to the type of glass chandeliers popular a generation ago. When told

Additional Solicitors Named for Bensalem Twp.

Additional solicitors for the forthcoming Red Cross drive in Bensalem Township are here announced.

Cornwells Heights: Mrs. Ira C. Bowman, assistants, Mrs. George H. Thomas, Mrs. Roscoe Perkins, Mrs. Charles Laycock, Mrs. George Kayser, Mrs. Melvin Yeagle, Mrs. Harry Gough, Mrs. Harold Ealy, Mrs. Irwin Shell, Mrs. Edward Dyer, Mrs. Irving Margulis, Miss Gladys Connelly, Mrs. Lawrence Davis, Mrs. Charles Wicker, Mrs. David Crapp, Mrs. Sidney Bound, Miss Helen Terene, Mrs. Jeanette Eoder.

Eddington: Raymond E. Wink, captain; Mrs. Samuel Morrison, Mrs. Emily Vandegrift, Mrs. Raymond E. Wink, Mrs. Elmer Myers, Mrs. Emily Fields, Miss Eleanor Davis, Mrs. Gladys Davis, Mrs. Katherin Barrall, Mrs. Harry Seltzer, Mrs. Elizabeth Uslin, Mrs. Myrtle Garrigues, Mrs. George A. Winch, Mrs. Robert Dapp.

BETROTHED

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 28—Mr. and Mrs. William White announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Charlotte May White, to Richard H. Gade, of Bristol, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gade, North Long Beach, Cal. Mr. Gade is a graduate of the University of Illinois. He is a member of Tri-angel Fraternity.

STORK PAYS VISIT

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 28—Congratulations are being extended to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brophy on the birth of a son on February 25th at the Wagner Hospital, Bristol. The infant weighed 7 lbs., 11 1/2 ounces.

MORRISVILLE POST PLANS HOMECOMING

Legion Post Asks Various Organizations To Meet and Discuss Plans

TO NAME COMMITTEE

MORRISVILLE, Feb. 28—Under the leadership of the Morrisville American Legion Willet C. Sanford Post, plans are being forwarded to establish a permanent committee representing the town's organizations in a "welcome home" celebration for the 750 servicemen and women in the borough.

In a recent letter to the heads of each civic and church organization, the Legion stated it felt such an occasion demanded a celebration of a magnitude without local precedent and accordingly would require considerable preparation.

Much of Precipitation In January Was Snow

On five of the 11 days during January on which precipitation was recorded, it took the form of snow. The total precipitation during the month was 2.68 inches.

Average temperature for the month was 25.1 degrees above zero, the maximum being 59, and minimum zero. The highest range for a 24-hour period was 30 degrees.

SURPRISE SHOWER

CORNWELLS HEIGHTS, Feb. 28—A surprise shower was tendered Mrs. Harold Farrington, last week, by Miss Helen Perene and Mrs. William C. Amick, at the home of Miss Perene, Station avenue. A buffet luncheon was served to: Mrs. Leo Klinker, Mrs. Harry Acker, Mrs. George Tats, Mrs. Sydney Banks, Mrs. Leo Deni, Mrs. Edward Perene, Mrs. Edwin Klinker and Mrs. William F. Amick. Mrs. Farrington received many gifts.



COMPARING BLOOD BANK TECHNIQUE in China with American methods, this American Red Cross regional director watches Dr. Luetta Chen. Radcliffe College and Harvard University graduate, as she explains the similarities and differences in the methods.

DICTATORSHIP AT WORK

A great deal of contemporary literature reveals a growing concern over the question of whether free government can continue in the United States.

Nearly everyone realizes quite well that, when the time comes the executive department of any government is no longer restrained by the body of fundamental checks and balances known as the Constitution, and when a large portion of the public no longer has means for curbing or changing governmental policies, dictatorship has arrived.

This is true even though some more pleasing word than dictatorship is used to describe the new state of affairs—or even if the despotism choose to call itself a democracy or a republic.

As was well known to the founding fathers of the United States, and is expressed in the writings of such men as Washington, Hamilton, and Jefferson, free government—meaning government in which the people themselves are the real sovereign—is constantly in danger of the usurpation of power by its officials.

Dictator-bound pressure groups in every land have always had the same motto: "the end justifies the means." Whatever the subject matter, the process always follows the same pattern.

Politically important groups within a nation are promised special favors in return for votes or other political support. Presently it is made to appear that the normal authorities of government are inadequate for achieving the purpose.

It is then demanded that new methods be allowed—and these new methods invariably are at the expense of the safeguards set up to keep the government responsive to the will of the people.

This was the process which ran its course in Germany and Italy, and it has been in operation in the United States for a number of years.

The American citizens who wanted racketeering stopped were so pleased that the Federal government found means under the income tax laws of sending the racketeers to jail, that they did not inquire too closely into the question of whether the use of such laws for this purpose was ethically proper, or whether their use for a popular purpose did not set a precedent for use in other fields more dangerous to the Bill of Rights.

Bureaucracy received a tremendous impetus as a result of these prosecutions.

Early in the Roosevelt administration the NRA was presented as a piece of governmental super-structure which would give special benefits to all working people; these special benefits were urged as being sufficient excuse for the adoption of methods of admittedly doubtful Constitutionality.

Similarly the Social Security program was used as bait to lure public sentiment into allowing the breaking down of the sovereignty of the states—a very important check against over-centralization of Federal power.

In the Avery case, it appears to have been the tacit assumption in Washington that class feeling in America is bitter enough to condone co-ercive methods against corporation officials on the same old grounds—that the end justified the means.

Rationing, which started out along the lines of the last war,—largely voluntary, carried out by the citizens themselves—soon was swung over into the present present.

RED CROSS NEED IS GREATER THAN EVER

Campaign Opens Today In The Nation At Large, It Is Stated

BRISTOL OPENS MAR. 8

Tomorrow the American Red Cross will open its appeal to the nation for \$180,000,000 to continue its world-wide operation with battle front troops, in hospitals and on the home front.

The appeal in the Bristol area, including Bristol Borough, Tullytown Borough and Bristol Township, will not open until March 8th and will continue March 9th and 10th in the residential sections. The quota set for the Bristol area is \$56,600. Hugh B. Eastburn, Esq., is the general chairman and is now completing his organization which will be announced within the next few days. Simultaneously President Roosevelt, Basil O'Connor, chairman of the Red Cross, and Colby Chester, chairman of the War Fund campaign, called upon all Americans to support the fund drive as an indication of their backing of men in the front lines.

SOCIETY TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Women's Society for Christian Service of the Bristol Methodist Church will meet tonight at eight o'clock in the church. All members are requested to bring a Valentine as a social will follow the business.

UNDER OBSERVATION

Eugene Orte, of Parkland, was removed to Abington Hospital yesterday in the ambulance of Bucks Co. Rescue Squad.

Nazi Lines Crack



CRACKING WIDE OPEN, Nazi defenses along a 200-mile front are crumbling before the furious, massed assault of Allied armies. Canadian forces at the north end of the line are battering the northwest corner of the Ruhr. Ninth Army units are fast approaching Muenchen Gladbach (1). On the Cologne Plain, U. S. forces have penetrated 33 miles inside Germany (2) and are 3 miles from the Erft River. To the south, Gen. Patton's Third Army troops moved to within a mile of the strategic town of Bitburg (3). (International)

TO SELECT NAME FOR BRISTOL'S NEW CANTEN

Contest Will Open This Evening At the Canteen Headquarters

OFFER A CASH PRIZE

A contest for the selection of a name for Bristol's teen-age canteen has been arranged by canteen committee officials.

The young people are asked to place their suggestions in the suggestion box at the canteen tonight or Saturday night. Each one making a suggestion is asked to place his or her name on the slip, as a cash prize is to be awarded to the person suggesting the winning name.

A committee of judges from the teen-agers is to be named. This group will choose from the suggestions six of those submitted. Then

Eddington Man Is Given Jail Sentence

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 28—William Szymanski, Street road, Eddington, who pleaded guilty to the charge of adultery under a jury trying him on the charge of rape had disagreed on Wednesday, February 21, was sentenced by Judge Calvin S. Boyer, Monday afternoon, to pay the costs of the trial and to serve one year in the Bucks County Jail.

The sentence will date as of February 21st, the date when Szymanski was confined after being at liberty on bail since first arrested.

ARRIVES IN FRANCE

CROYDON, Feb. 28—Mrs. Ruth Haines, Prospect avenue, has received word that her husband, Pvt. Harry L. Haines, has arrived in France. Pvt. Haines is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines, Maple avenue. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines have two other sons in the service, PFC Charles L. Haines, in the Philippines, and Herman Haines, S. 2/c, at Corpus Christi, Texas.

ANOTHER BOROUGH TO ORGANIZE TO ASSIST VETERANS

Morrisville Will Discuss The State Program at Meeting On March 7th

NEWTOWN NAMES ONE

Langhorne Was First Community in Bucks County To Organize

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 28—Morrisville will be the next community to organize a Veteran's Advisory Committee. On March 7th a representative of the State Selective Headquarters will discuss the state program with the members of the Morrisville committee. Superintendent of Bucks County Schools C. H. Boehm, chairman of the County Veterans' Advisory Committee, will also be present.

The Langhorne Committee was the first committee in the county to be organized. The committee includes: Thomas Coe, banking; My-

Ordination Service Is Arranged at Eddington

EDDINGTON, Feb. 28—The Presbytery of Philadelphia will meet tomorrow night at eight o'clock in Eddington Presbyterian Church to ordain George C. Tibbetts to the Gospel ministry. It will be the first such ordination ever to be held in the history of the local church.

Mr. Tibbetts united with the church on a profession of his faith in the Lord Jesus Christ on December 18th, 1935. He graduated from Bensalem Township high school in 1935, the first Bensalem high graduate to enter the ministry. He is a graduate of Maryville College, Tennessee, being the recipient of a B. A. degree in 1942. On March 6th the degree of B. D. (Bachelor of Divinity) will be conferred upon him by Princeton Theological Seminary. Mr. Tibbetts was licensed to preach the Gospel by the Presbytery of Philadelphia on April 16th, 1944. He will preach his first sermon, as a Reverend, next Sunday morning in the Eddington Church on the assigned topic: "What I Believe and What I Intend to Preach."

The Old Doe Run Presbyterian Church, near Coatesville, will present a call to Mr. Tibbetts when the Presbytery of Chester meets in Phoenixville on April 24th. At that time plans for his installation on April 27th will be presented. Mr. Tibbetts is engaged to wed Miss Marjorie Orcutt, of Palisades Park, N. J., and they plan to be married in the Old Doe Run Presbyterian Church the early part of June.

Dr. Henry Seymour Brown, vice-president of Princeton Seminary, will deliver the sermon tomorrow night. The public is invited to be present for this service of dedication and consecration.

The Eddington Presbyterian Church has two other young men studying for the Gospel ministry. They are John Scott, who is now in Princeton; and Owen McGarity who will be ready for seminary next fall. In addition to these two Eddington is further honored in having one of her daughters, Miss Helen Cassile, appointed to a missionary post in Syria by the Board of Foreign Missions. Miss Cassile expects to be sent to her post sometime next fall.

REMOVED TO HOSPITAL

John Lovett, Radcliffe street, is a patient in Jefferson Hospital, Philadelphia. He was removed there yesterday in the ambulance of Bucks Co. Rescue Squad for observation.

FIREMEN'S AUXILIARY TO MEET

The Ladies Auxiliary of the Headley Manor Fire Co. will meet Thursday night at the home of Mrs. Robert Shores at eight o'clock.

WHAT OUR BOYS ARE DOING TO WIN THE WAR

MUROC, Calif., Feb. 28—Albert A. Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Moore, of 446 Pond street, Bristol, has been promoted to the grade of staff sergeant at Muroc army airfield.

A 1939 graduate of Bristol high school, Staff Sergeant Moore was employed by the Warner Sand and Gravel Company of Tullytown prior to entering the army air forces in August 1942.

He is assigned to this Fourth airforce installation as an airplane mechanic. His wife resides at Eddington.

LATEST NEWS BULLETINS

Hopes for Peace and Reduction of Armaments

Washington—President Roosevelt returned to the White House from the Crimean Conference today carrying hopes for a permanent peace with eventual reduction of armaments and disclosed that he will attend the organization of the United Nations at San Francisco April 25.

The Chief Executive tempered his prediction of a lasting peace with a grim reminder that the war first must be won, and that a long and perhaps costly struggle with Japan lies ahead even after Germany is forced to capitulate.

As one of the main accomplishments of the big three conference at Yalta, Mr. Roosevelt foresees a gradual but progressive reduction of armaments. Even the major powers, into whose hands will fall the task of carrying out peace by force, if necessary, will gradually disarm, he said. The President's full views on what was accomplished at the Crimean Conference will be given to the nation later this week when Mr. Roosevelt addresses a joint session of Congress.

As to a further big three meeting, the President said it will depend a good deal on how the San Francisco Conference comes out and ruled out for the time being, a further conference on purely Pacific problems such as the Cairo meeting of a year ago.

The President conditioned all discussion of future peace, however, on reiterated statements that we have to win the war first. Mr. Roosevelt said one of the important things decided for the world's future peace was that neither Germany nor Japan will ever be permitted to rearm. But he left the door open for their ultimate return to the family circle of nations.

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YANKS VS. JAPS

In more than three years of war against Japan, American Army leaders have had ample opportunity to study fighting qualities of the Japanese. They have discovered there is much to be said for and against ability of the enemy to wage successful combat.

These conclusions boil down to: The infantryman is the core of Japanese military power, but lacks necessary weapons to make him a winner.

The Japanese soldier is not a superman, nor is he a pushover. He has been well trained. His physical condition is good, he can withstand hardships and will follow orders without questioning. He will attack under any and all circumstances regardless of the odds. He is good at jungle warfare and knows how to make the best use of the weapons he has. His officers are adept at moving large forces over difficult terrain, and especially clever in carrying out raids.

It has been discovered the Japs lack weapons needed to back up their foot soldiers and enable them to hold an objective after it has been gained. They have no flame throwers, heavy artillery, bazookas, tanks. At least they have not used any of these. Always willing to sacrifice infantrymen, Japanese generals gain nothing permanently because these armies are not completely implemented for modern warfare.

And the Jap is no match for American soldiers, either as to skill or bravery. Definitely out-matched, he fights fanatically only to be defeated.

TRIBUTE TO LAKE SEAMEN

Announcement of the War Shipping Administration concerning the return to service on the Great Lakes of the several thousand lake seamen who volunteered for duty aboard the off-shore fleet of the United States Merchant Marine last fall calls attention to the patriotism shown by these men at a time when their services were urgently needed for the prosecution of the war.

It will be recalled that a grave crisis existed in shipping last fall and that it was feared that many ships, laden with war cargo, would not be able to sail for lack of trained personnel. The thousands of lake seamen who volunteered for duty with the Merchant Marine last fall call attention to the patriotism shown by these men at a time when their services were urgently needed for the prosecution of the war.

It was in mid-December that the Germans made their supreme bid for a break-through on the Western Front and at that time every bit of equipment that could be rushed to the troops was vitally needed.

Lake seamen who man the ships on the Great Lakes during the long navigation season on those waters understandably look forward to a period of rest during the winter months. It is to their credit that they forewent their customary vacations and gave their services to manning vessels of the Merchant Marine.

Red Cross Need Is Greater Than Ever

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In officially opening the campaign Chairman O'Connor pointed out that the need for Red Cross services in the coming year will be greater than ever before.

"American men have been fighting throughout the world for a long time," he said. "This year they will need all of the moral support we can give them. The American Red Cross is bringing home to those men wherever they may be stationed.

"The task in the next twelve months will be greater for the Red Cross than ever before, for not only must we serve the men in the war zones, but we will be required to give increasing assistance to the boys coming back to the United States.

"We know the American people will respond with overwhelming generosity, knowing that the money they give to the Red Cross will be used to serve the men and women who are serving in uniform for us."

It was estimated that more than 3,000,000 American Red Cross volunteers will conduct the house to house canvass. Each canvasser will carry credentials indicating Red Cross affiliation during the campaign.

Outlining achievements of the Red Cross during the past year Mr. O'Connor declared the Red Cross is serving in every theatre of war and with every command. Red Cross workers also are on duty at scores of outposts over the world in hospitals in the major battle areas and in the United States, he said. The total number of workers has more than doubled since the last War Fund campaign.

In every invasion during the past year, he pointed out, the Red Cross has either gone with the troops, or has followed within a very short time. Red Cross field directors were with General Eisenhower's men in the great amphibious invasion of France, and with General MacArthur's forces when they returned to the Philippines.

Red Cross service on the home front has expanded with the ever-

increasing demand upon it. Mr. O'Connor said.

Over ten million pints of blood have been obtained since the war started, and during the past year the Red Cross has met the requests of both the Army and Navy for whole blood shipments to battle areas in Europe and in the Far East.

Millions of surgical dressings have been prepared for front line and hospital use.

Trained nurse's aides have been used in increasing numbers in domestic, military and naval hospitals to relieve in the shortage of professional nurses.

Red Cross workers at packaging centers have maintained a steady stream of Prisoner of War Food Parcels for shipment to Germany and the Far East.

Neither has the Red Cross relaxed in its traditional service to humanity in time of disaster. Mr. O'Connor said. More than 200 domestic disasters have found Red Cross workers on the job to relieve stricken families and to aid in the rebuilding of communities. Hundreds of thousands of dollars have been poured out to rebuild homes destroyed by floods, high winds and fires.

Meanwhile Red Cross production workers in hundreds of communities have continued the never ceasing program of making warm garments for destitute civilians in war torn countries overseas, and in those countries the Red Cross has assisted the Army in caring for refugees and homeless people.

Scouts Will Aid In Paper Collection

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A campaign will be in co-operation, throughout Bucks county, with local salvage committee and other local salvage groups.

Each Scout is expected to collect 1,000 pounds, and each Troop 1,000 pounds for the total of its membership. Awards will be made to the troops in the form of a shell case containing a message personally inscribed by General Eisenhower. Individual awards will be given to each Scout

who meets his quota. The troop committees and scout leaders throughout the county are making plans to do their part in this campaign in order to help reach the national goal.

The Boy Scouts of America in November were successful in collecting 107,000 tons of paper, which helped the national waste paper goal. The parents and friends of Scouts throughout Bucks County are asked to co-operate with their units. The work of the scouts and clubs will be in addition to all other similar work which is being done throughout the county during the same period.

To Select Name For Bristol's New Canteen

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at a designated time next week the teen-agers will ballot on the six suggestions.

Four additional contributions of money to the canteen fund are herewith publicly acknowledged: Bristol public school teachers, \$100; Hunter Mfg. Corp., \$50; Bristol Council, Daughters of America, \$10; Rohm & Haas sewing circle, \$27.

HULMEVILLE

Sgt. P. Alcantara, of Valley Forge Hospital, week-ended here as guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph LaPenta. Saturday evening visitors of the LaPentas were: Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Fusco, Mrs. John Fusco and Miss Rita Farina, Philadelphia.

From Friday until Sunday, Mrs. Harry Boyglen and Miss Dolores Whitehead, Haddonfield, N. J., were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Horace C. Cox.

On Tuesday evening next Mrs. Harry Force will entertain members of the card club with which she is affiliated.

EDDINGTON

After going overseas together, Cpl. Harry Paulsworth, of Eddington, and PFC Kenneth Drumm,

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sure program, in which the citizens' right of appeal and redress is almost completely lost.

Free elections with Congress forming the two remaining important threads of popular control over government — are seriously endangered by the political methods of the PAC which has ingratiated itself as "a means of self-expression of laboring people," when in fact it is a tightly held political pressure group in which the mass sentiments of the membership have little weight.

The recent edicts of Assistant President Byrnes, in theory at least directed at the achievement of worthy purposes, but by arbitrary, inequitable and un-American methods, are cut from the same cloth of dictatorship.

Because these have the appearance of aiding the war effort, and because several of them appeal to rather general prejudices, such as the aversion to race track gambling and drinking, the American public is apt to overlook the fact that the method used—that of a single person's edicts—is the method of despotism; and that if the practice is tolerated, the mere fact that in the current instances the authority has been used against those not particularly entitled to the public's sympathy is no assurance that in the future the arbitrary power will not be used (as happened in both Germany and Italy) against the public itself.

In the confusion of public discussion and thinking about these matters, it would be easy for the men and women of America to lose sight of the fact that if they are to save their self-government, they must resist, through Congress and otherwise, encroachments on their liberties — encroachments from whatever source, no matter how attractively disguised on the occasion of their first appearance.

Cornwells Heights, were separated in England. Seven months later they met in France.

Mary Ashton has returned home after a two weeks stay with Mrs. J. V. Ashton, Jr.

The Christ Episcopal Church of Eddington is organizing a Young People's Fellowship, and anticipate good times in the parish house in the future. Young people are invited to attend the meetings on Sunday evenings at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Williams are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter on Feb. 24th, in Nazareth Hospital, Philadelphia.

on a several days furlough with his family on Sycamore avenue. He recently returned from overseas duty and is recuperating from illness at a New York hospital.

William Mutch of Croydon Manor, announces the engagement of his daughter, Mildred Natalie, to Peter J. Harkins, E. 1/c, U. S. Navy.

TULLYTOWN

William Lynch, Bethlehem, spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lynch.

Mrs. Elsie Carlen had the misfortune of fracturing her arm recently. Mrs. Carlen has just returned home after spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Theodore Johnson, Columbus.

Mrs. Jane Starkey, Morrisville, was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carlen. Mrs. Carlen is now able to be out after being confined to her home with illness.

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CHAPTER THIRTY-ONE

Well, I was still shaky, my knees were unsteady. And I was so tired. Craig said then in a less terse way, "You'd better lie down a minute, Miss Keate. What about some brandy?"

The brandy made me think of Maud and her violet sachet and what had happened afterward and I refused it with a shudder. But I told him about Claud Chivery—my whole story, and watched the grim look tighten around his mouth.

"Now then," I added wearily, "you'd better get back to bed. I thought Mrs. Brent was going to stay with you; I wouldn't have left you alone so long."

He was looking at the rug with narrowed, intent eyes that didn't see it. "I thought you ought to have some rest. That's why I didn't send for you. Alexia went away only a moment or two after you left, Miss Keate. . . . he looked at me then. "If I could only get out of here. . . . He started to rise, turned a blue-white, and I sprang forward just as he sat down again on the edge of the chair, clinging to its arms rather desperately.

"Well, you can't," I observed. "I've got to. I know I could do something."

"What?"

"I don't know. But there must be something the police have missed. There must be—well, somebody. Somebody we don't know about. . . ."

It was a sinister suggestion. It conjured up a lurking, homicidal figure hidden in some forgotten room or outbuilding, waiting to pounce.

He stared at the fire and said finally, "You can't hook it up with anybody you know."

I agreed with him not altogether too heartily. At last I asked, "If you were able to get around where would you look for clues?"

"I don't know," he said slowly. "Pete is doing what he can. But I—if only I could be sure that Drue is safe!"

"She's all right," I assured him. "That's one advantage of being practically under arrest. She is protected by being guarded."

His eyes clouded again. "Yes," he said. "And that's another danger. If they arrest her I can't move. I couldn't get as far as the door without collapsing." He gave a kind of groan and urged, "Tell me everything you saw or heard. Everything. You can trust me."

Which made me wonder if I could. Indeed, after seeing Claud Chivery as I had seen him I would have had a mental reservation about trusting my own image in the mirror.

Still Craig was the one person (besides Drue) who couldn't have killed Chivery.

Well, I could help his appeal as fully as I could by simply repeating, in detail, the events that had taken place since I had left him with Alexia in the late afternoon. He listened intently but asked only a few questions. And eventually I got him back to bed. But he spoke of Drue. "They can't prove anything against her now; had her under guard at the time Claud was murdered."

And just then Drue herself hurried in, closing the door quickly behind her. She was breathing

rapidly; there was scarlet in her cheeks and lips and her eyes were bright. She wore her long cape with the hood over her head.

Drue slipped the hood back; her hair was disheveled and she'd been running. She came quickly toward us as Craig cried, "Drue! For God's sake, where have you been?"

"Is it true?" she asked breathlessly. "About Dr. Chivery? I heard them in the servants' living room. I came up the back stairs. What happened?"

I couldn't answer; disappointment was like a vise on my throat. For I had so counted on her alibi. Craig said heavily, "Oh, it's true enough. He's been murdered; in the meadow, north of the house, by that little brook. Drue. . . . She was very near us and Craig caught her hand, pulling her so he could look closely in her face. "Drue, where were you?"

"I was out, Craig. I had to get out."

"How did you do it? You were under guard?"

"It was easy—he thought I was Sarah. Oh, it doesn't matter."

"It does matter. Tell me exactly what you did. Hurry. . . . His tone was as savage in a queer way as the tight, hard grip of his hands, and as demanding.

Drue said, "Wilkins, the other trooper, was relieved. I heard him tell the man who took his place that there were two nurses and not to stop the other one—he told him which door entered your room, Sarah. And from the way he spoke I was pretty sure that the new guard got the idea we were both in our rooms. I had to get out doors. I was sick with thinking and—oh, I had to get out of this horrible house!"

She checked herself abruptly and her eyes met Craig's fully.

Then Drue looked away. She said stiffly, "So I simply wrapped myself in my cape and pulled the hood over my head, walked out Sarah's door and along the hall."

He saw me, but he didn't see my face—anyway, he didn't stop me. Drue looked at her hands. Craig's eyes were veiled. He said, as stiffly as Drue, "Where did you go?"

"I walked along the little path toward the Chivery cottage. I didn't think anyone saw me. I. . . . Suddenly her voice broke and she cried, terrified and despairing, "Craig, Craig, what is it? Who is it? What dreadful thing is happening here?"

The stiffness that had been like a wall between them broke down with that. She leaned forward swiftly and his arm went around her, drew her down close to him so her face was against his, and he cried softly and shakenly, "Oh, my darling, don't be afraid. . . ."

Then, in the queerest little hush—as if everything in the world had stopped for an instant, waiting for that very thing to happen—she turned her face and their lips met.

I got up quietly, went to the window and looked out into the winter dusk.

I did wonder after a moment how his wound was making out. Still he had one good arm. And now the course of true love would run smooth. . . .

But the next instant I wasn't so sure. For the door opened and Alexia came into the room and

stopped. Drue must have heard the door, too, for she sat up quickly, her face radiant and her eyes shining until she saw it was Alexia standing there.

Craig said, "Come in Alexia. What is it?"

Drue with a single sweeping motion, in which the cape fell about her like a shield rose from the bed, and turned to face Alexia, her golden head high.

Alexia's lovely face looked cruel; her eyes gleamed between those drooping eyelashes. She paused for a moment, then she came straight to the bed and stood as near to Craig as was possible, as if by her very physical presence she could separate Craig and Drue.

The widow then announced, "Drue, you'd better know the truth. Craig loves me. Not you. He belongs to me and I belong to him. It's always been that way. You came between us once, but he didn't love you even then."

Drue's eyes blazed. "I was his wife. We loved each other!"

Alexia's voice, husky and vehement, rose over Drue's. "No, he didn't love you. I knew it then. He married you, yes. We'd had a misunderstanding; he did it to hurt me. Just as I, later, married Conrad to hurt Craig. But Craig never loved you."

"I was his wife. . . ."

Again Alexia laughed. "He never loved you. He told me so. He asked me and his father to help him get the divorce."

Craig was as colorless as the pillow; his eyes were closed, his mouth a straight white line. And he didn't say a word.

I said, my hand on Drue's arm, "Go back to your room; I'll come to you, Hurry."

"I'm free now," went on Alexia. "And Craig is free and. . . ."

Surprise Langhorne Couple On Anniversary of Wedding

LANGHORNE, Feb. 28—A surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George C. Mather on Friday evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. D. Harvey Krouse, whose wedding anniversary was celebrated.

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Mar. 1—Card party in Travel Club home, 8 p. m., sponsored by Rohm & Haas sewing circle, Red Cross benefit.
Covered dish luncheon sponsored by Ladies Auxiliary in Union Fire Co. station, Cornwells Manor, 12:30 p. m.
Mar. 17—St. Patrick's card party and dance sponsored by Fire Co. in St. Charles' Hall, Cornwells Hts., 8:30 p. m.

Mrs. Agnes Taylor, Mulberry street, is a patient in the Hahnemann Hospital, where she was operated upon last week.
Mrs. John Ellis, Bristol Terrace, had as recent guests, Mrs. William

Lord and Mrs. William Taylor, Minersville.
Mrs. Harry Goslin, Sr., Mrs. Flora Bilger and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Bilger and daughter Carolyn, 213 Market street, spent Sunday in Belmar, N. J., visiting relatives.
Mrs. Marvin Hutchinson returned to her home in Trenton, N. J., after three months' visit with her husband, Marvin Hutchinson, S. 1/c, who is stationed near San Francisco, Cal. Seaman Hutchinson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Hutchinson, 327 Hayes street.
1st Lt. Wilbur VanLenten and wife, Second avenue, spent Wednesday until Sunday in New York City.
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mulligan and daughter Eleanor, Monroe street, spent the week-end in Newtown, visiting Mrs. Mulligan's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes.
Mrs. Charles Spezzano, 603 Pond street, has been confined to her

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Mr. and Mrs. Louis Trude, Pond street, had as Sunday guests their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Murphy, Lansdowne, and grandson, John Murphy, A/S, who is in training at Ursinus College, Collegeville, and is spending an eight-day leave with his parents.

Miss Nan Kelly, Trenton, N. J., spent Saturday and Sunday with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gavegan, 624 Beaver street.

Cpl. Albert N. Hunt, Fort Monmouth, N. J., spent Wednesday until Friday with his aunt, Mrs. John A. Smith, 321 Washington street.

Ruth Armstrong, S. 2/c, Harrisburg, spent Wednesday until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Armstrong, Sr., 310 Jefferson avenue.

Misses Cecelia Lippincott and Doris Byers, student nurses at Misericordia Hospital, Philadelphia, spent the week-end with Miss Lippincott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lippincott, Linden street.

Marvin Grimes, S. 2/c, returned to Sampson, N. Y., after spending seven days with his grandmother, Mrs. Samuel Grimes, 541 Swain street.

Seaman Arthur Massi, Duke University, Durham, N. C., has been spending the past five days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Massi, 607 Pond street. Anthony Massi, S. 2/c, Norfolk, Va., spent the week-end with his parents.

Mrs. Betty Courtney and daughters, Betty Jane and Eleanor, Philadelphia, were guests during the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Girard, 709 Pine street.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Johnson, Hayes street, spent the week-end in Holland, Pa., visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Lauble.

Today's Quiet Moment

By Richard C. Coffey, Jr.,
Pastor, Newport Road
Community Chapel

It is not death to die
To leave this weary road,
And midst the Brotherhood on high
To be at home with God.

Oh gracious Lord another month has passed on and it brings to our minds the glorious message of Thy wonderful Gospel. It rejoices our hearts, dear Lord, to realize Thy wonderful provision for us. The provision that Thou didst make when Thou didst provide for us a way, so that we, when we die, do not suffer death but pass on to everlasting life. It is our earnest prayer, our Lord, that we might walk worthy of the gift that Thou hast given us and it is to that end that we petition Thee to guide our every step through Jesus' name. Amen.

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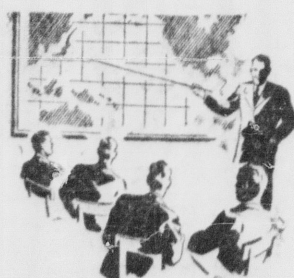
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EDGELY SPORTSMEN DECIDE TO BUY HEN PHEASANTS

Action Taken at Meeting of
Sportsmen Held Last
Night

TO SPEND SUM OF \$50

Will Sponsor the Annual
Fishing Contest Again
This Year

In an effort to offset the diminishing pheasant supply in lower Bucks county Edgely sportsmen last evening voted to spend fifty dollars for purchase of hen pheasants for restocking purposes in this area. This action was taken when the Edgely Rod & Gun Club met in monthly session at the Headley Manor Fire Co.

Members pointed out that very few hen birds were seen in the fields last hunting season and this is believed to be one of the reasons why not too many cock birds were hatched last November.

Secretary J. Howard Bintliff was instructed to purchase the birds at the earliest possible date so that they can be released at approximately the same time as the birds from the State Game Commission are received.

The annual fishing contest sponsored by the Edgely Club will be held again this year. This contest is open to all anglers. Three separate prizes of \$250 each will be awarded winners of the following divisions: bass, pickerel and catfish. All entries must be caught on hook and line in public waters of the Commonwealth. Contest headquarters will again be located at Britton's Service Station, Bristol Pike, Edgely.

Plans are already underway for an outstanding program for the March meeting which will be held on March 27th. Movies, refreshments and several other surprise features are planned for this meeting.

BRISTOL HIGH GIRLS LOSE TO BENSalem

Although it held a 9-5 lead at half-time, the Bristol High girls' team lost to Bensalem High on the latter's floor. Final score was: Bensalem, 13; Bristol, 11.

Lillian Brownlee was high scorer for Bristol with 6 points while E. Dunkerly had 8 to lead Bensalem. The other Bristol forwards were: D. Stackhouse, T. Cahill, S. Bielcecki and Janice while the guards were B. Lebo, M. Bell, S. Peet and B. Virkutti.

C. Harrison and V. Oliver were the other Bensalem forwards with 4 and 1 point, respectively. The guards were K. Vandergriff, J. Luzzi and M. Gebrier. The game was refereed by Miss MacDaniel.

BOWLING

MAJOR LEAGUE

Standings	won	lost
Bailey's	12	8
Rohm & Haas	12	12
Acadia	12	12
Burlington	11	13
Chris	11	13
Diamond	10	14

Rohm & Haas	138	176	157	471
Acadia	135	169	161	465
Carlson	135	169	161	465
Stewart	135	169	161	465
Hirsch	135	169	161	465

Burlington	148	146	140	434
Sholl	124	161	180	465
Sutton	129	160	175	464
Schroeder	168	164	193	525
Shumard	167	188	165	510

Bailey	786	823	843	2452
Bailey	173	154	192	519
Bailey	142	156	181	479
Palumbo	162	176	182	520
Robinson	163	178	173	514

Chris Taxi	833	910	930	2673
Yates	181	120	120	421
Jonik	174	121	150	445
Streeter	194	178	172	544
Gillies	166	178	172	516

Vandergriff	182	163	164	499
Keen	171	189	189	549
Arcadia	887	743	818	2448
Weikel	156	180	205	541
Borden	179	161	170	510

Chabill	165	173	169	507
Cramer	165	173	169	507
Amisson	180	142	207	529
Diamond	842	845	929	2616
Andy	178	171	153	502

Chabill	161	164	178	503
O'Boyle	166	245	201	611
	823	963	892	2678

EMILIE

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The Tip-Topper Sunday School Class held its monthly meeting on Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. John Bixler. Valentines were exchanged disclosing names of secret "pals" after which a miscellaneous shower of gifts was tendered Miss Martha Prael. Cake and ice cream were served to: Mrs. Charles Bruce, Mrs. Virgie Wintersteen, Mrs. Hazel Bowen, Mrs. Warren Bruce, Mrs. Edward Schindler, Miss Harriet Lodge, Mrs. John Rank, Mrs. William Lovett, Mrs. John Bixler and Miss Martha Prael. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Connor were recent overnight guests of friends in Trenton, N. J.

The Misses Doris and Marjorie Stewart, Bristol, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Albert Wilson.

Rings Worth \$800 Stolen At Doylestown

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by Mrs. Peary, an assistant, they had none of the prizes, the woman stopped to admire a cut glass water pitcher and sauntered out of the place. The other customers left a few minutes later.

Mrs. Bartlett was just on the point of leaving the store to do some shopping, but when she saw the four customers in the place she delayed leaving so as to wait on them and laid her handbag on the corner of one of the counter tables. It was not until after the customers had gone and she started to leave that she discovered that the bag was missing.

In the handbag were two rings, one a solitaire diamond, her engagement ring, and the other a band of diamonds given to her by her husband as a wedding gift. In addition the bag contained \$18 in cash, driver's license, ration cards and tickets, a pair of glasses and keys to both the store and her residence at Fountainville. Mrs. Bartlett described the bag as being considerably smaller than those usually carried by women today.

Mrs. Bartlett said this morning that because she was so well acquainted with the other women in the shop, her suspicions were aroused by the colored woman. In addition to being the only other person in the place, her request for the prism was unusual, especially as her appearance belied such a purchase. She was very poorly dressed, Mrs. Bartlett said, and gave the impression that she might be looking for work or asking for assistance. She was under the average size, very slim and wore her hair, that had been straightened by some treatment, held in place with a row of bobby pins entirely around her head.

As soon as she was thoroughly satisfied that the handbag was nowhere in the shop, Mrs. Bartlett reported to the police.

Clifford Bowyer, Aged 8, Has Party On Birthday

Clifford Bowyer, son of Mrs. Irene Bowyer, Cleveland street, was tendered a surprise birthday party Sunday afternoon. He was eight years old February 26th.

Schoolmates attending were: Shirley and Albert Abrams, Flora and Melvin Tyrrell, "Patty" and "Polly" Gillis, Eleanor Sanko, Robert Everett, Joyce Rauch, Carl Johnson, Regina and George Backsack, and Lois and Dolores Bowyer.

Decorations were pink and blue. Games and refreshments were enjoyed, and Clifford received many gifts.

Morrisville Post Plans Homecoming

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The post authorized the appointment of a committee to study the project. It is the aim of this temporary committee to bring representatives from other organizations together to form the permanent committee.

Heading the present committee is William H. Howell, former post commander, and an outstanding worker in community affairs, with Harry Lair, John Sumner, Herbert LaRue, Marcus B. Ketcham, Jr., Marnah R. Reiter and Commander George Laytonson.

Here and There In Bucks County Towns

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Speaking before approximately 100 members and guests, Mr. Magill announced a meeting of Bucks county dairymen at the headquarters of Tyro Hall Grange, Buckingham, on Friday afternoon, March 16th, at one o'clock, when Secretary of Agriculture Miles Horst will be the speaker.

Mr. Magill also spoke briefly on the milk subsidies, and in this connection said the federal government is now paying 80 cents per hundred, but during the second quarter, April, May and June, the subsidy payment will drop to 25 cents per hundred. During the third quarter, the subsidy payment will be 45 cents, and during October, November and December dairy farmers will be paid 70 cents.

Continuing, Mr. Magill said due to the drought last summer, many barns were only half filled with roughage, and with hay prices quoted from \$35 to \$60 per ton, many dairy farmers will be unable to continue operating their farms.

What is believed to have been the largest sale ever held in Springfield township took place Saturday afternoon on the country estate of Jack Kirkland, a prominent author and playwright. Mr. Kirkland, the author of many well-known productions, including "Tobacco Road," is the owner of a large property on the road leading from Pleasant Valley to Springtown. He is making preparations to leave for Alaska, where he will spend some time.

This was a complete dispersal sale of his Holstein and Guernsey cattle, as well as pure-bred horses and a large assortment of farm machinery. Hundreds of cars and trucks

were parked along the several highways leading to the farm. The tractor went to a purchaser from Yellow House, Berks county, for \$917, and a manure spreader with tractor hitch was bought by a farmer from Kempton, Berks county, for \$167.50. Ceiling prices were paid for a corn binder, hay loader and side delivery rake.

German Retreat Indicated As Rout as Yanks Advance

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fier who said the once great industrial metropolis a scene of indescribable desolation.

No stores, hotels or shops are open in the rubble heap that once was the center of Germany's fourth city, the captive said. Most of the civilians have left and water, gas and electricity are cut off.

The German radio broadcast warnings that Allied bombers were on their way to the Reich for the 15th consecutive day.

Early today the Nazi broadcasters said that enemy bombers were over the Duesseldorf, Rhine and Muenster areas. During the night RAF Mosquitos made their eighth consecutive foray over battered Berlin to pound the shattered capital with 4,000-pound bombs.

The London Daily Mail today printed a Stockholm dispatch saying grave disorders broke out in refugee-packed Berlin Monday after the smashing raid of 1,250 American heavy bombers.

On the eastern front the First White Russian Army staged a new thrust through Pomerania toward the Baltic Sea which threatened to isolate the Nazi garrison in Danzig.

The official Moscow communique placed the Russians within 28 miles of the coast, along which runs an escape highway out of the free state to Stettin.

But German sources said the Russians, attacking along a 40-mile front, had reached within seven miles of the shore which would put the last highway through the Nazi escape corridor within easy range of Red artillery.

Terrific battles raged in Pomerania, where more than 2,000 dead German officers and men were counted. Moscow said the columns of Marshal Konstantin Rokossovsky had gained 44 miles in four days.

The grinding battle for encircled Breslau continued with the Soviet capture of 12 more blocks, and fighting flamed anew in the rugged terrain of Czechoslovakian mountains where the fourth Ukrainian Army captured and liberated six strategic towns and villages.

LANGHORNE

Mrs. Monte Kropp is spending this week with relatives in Coatesville.

Mrs. Crowell, of Red Bank, N. J., was a recent guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. H. Ticehurst.

The March meeting of group 2, W. S. C. S., of the Methodist Church, will be held March 1st at the home of Mrs. Wilmer S. Black.

The Rev. Stephen B. Mackey, Charleston, S. C., and Archdeacon of the negro work in the Diocese of South Carolina, was the guest speaker on Sunday in St. James P. E. Church.

Mrs. Charles Yrigoyen is recovering from an illness which confined her to the house last week.

Members of Langhorne Lions Club attend divine service at the Methodist Church on Sunday evening. The pastor, the Rev. Charles Yrigoyen, a member of the organization who is expected to be transferred to another charge, preached an impressive sermon on "Meeting Life's Demands."

The next meeting of the Young Adult Fellowship will be held on Saturday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Anderson J. Wessaw, South Langhorne.

TULLYTOWN

Frank Maybury, S. 2/c. Quonset Point, R. I., week-ended with his wife and children here. Recent visitors at the Maybury home were Mr. and Mrs. Anderson J. Wessaw, South Langhorne.

Mrs. Emily Baker spent several days last week with Miss Laura Cook, Morrisville.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wright, Binghamton, N. Y., were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Cleveland Wright.

Mrs. Christopher Johnson was a Friday visitor of Mrs. John Doan, Trenton, N. J.

Miss Rosalie Logue, Philadelphia, was a week-end visitor of Mrs. Peter Miller.

Miss Margaret Pezza was a recent visitor of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Pezza, New York.

Miss "Betty" Lovett is confined to her home with illness.

Pvt. Joseph Mazzocchi, Camp Totten, N. Y., spent the week-end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mazzocchi.

Mrs. Benjamin King and son Michael spent the week-end with relatives in Philadelphia.

Mrs. Rhoda Walters, Bristol, was a recent dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Walters.

Miss Frances Pezza spent Saturday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Pezza.

John Silvi, M. S. N. York, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Silvi, Sr.

Andrew Pezza spent the week-end with friends and relatives in New York City.

ST. FRANCIS FIVE CLOSES SEASON WITH A VICTORY

Eddington Boys Beat Malvern Prep by Score of 28 to 20

BRESLIN, OPPOLD STAR

St. Francis Has Won 11 and Lost 2 Games This Season

EDDINGTON, Feb. 28.—The St. Francis Vocational School five closed its regular season's schedule by scoring a 28-20 victory over Malvern Prep yesterday afternoon on the St. Francis' floor.

The Malvern team was leading 19-7 at the half-time rest period but shortly after the start of the third period, "Jake" Breslin and Don Oppold scored double-deckers which put the Vocational School ahead. From then on they never lost their lead.

It was Oppold and Breslin who led in the St. Francis attack with 10 and 7 points, respectively. Sommer led the losers in scoring with 8 points.

St. Francis won eleven and lost two games during the season. The team has entered the State Catholic School tournament and will play Reading Catholic High in its first game.

St. Francis	P.G.	P.G.	P.T.	Tot.
Cupo	0	0	2	0
J. Breslin	3	1	1	7
Oppold	4	2	2	10
Lester	2	0	0	4
Gallagher	1	0	1	2
McGrath	2	0	1	3
Lavin	0	0	0	0
Kaidowski	0	1	2	1
Loftis	0	0	0	0
H. Breslin	0	0	0	0
12	4	11	28	

Malvern Prep	P.G.	P.G.	P.T.	Tot.
Quigley	1	2	2	4
Sommer	3	2	3	8
Doughty	0	0	0	0
Duffy	1	1	2	3
Thelin	1	0	0	2
Donahue	1	0	0	2
Kelly	0	1	2	1
7	6	9	20	

Referee: Morgan.
Timer: E. Donahue.
Scorer: McQuillen.
Half-time score:
St. Francis, 7; Malvern, 10.

Allen Schleich Celebrates; Has Party At Croydon

CROYDON, Feb. 28.—On Sunday afternoon Allen Paul Schleich entertained a number of small friends on his tenth birthday anniversary. The rooms were decorated in green and white in keeping with St. Patrick's season. As the birthday cake was cut the music box hidden in the center played "Happy Birthday."

Games were played and prizes awarded to "Jimmy" Lambie, "Teddy" Coyne, "Donny" Kohlmeier, Rose Coulter, Arlene Gugger and Bessie Edwards. Rose Coulter entertained with selections on the accordion.

Others attending: Joyce Curry, "Betty Lou" Keely, "Peggy" Bushnell, Virginia Tillback, Eunice and "Billy" Kohlmeier, Edward Miller and JoAnn Scheich.

Allen, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Schleich, received many gifts. Each guest received a shamrock basket filled with candy.

Girls Are Feted At Party By Their Grandparents

An anniversary party was given on Sunday in honor of Dolores Dougherty, Spruce street, on her ninth birthday, and Kathryn Haines, Croydon, on her fourth anniversary. The party was arranged by their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haines, Croydon.

Guests included: "Bobby" and Elaine Haines, Marie Craig; Joseph, Louise, John and Eileen Haines; Nancy Bunnell, Harry, Richard and Thomas Haines; "Jimmy" Haines, Croydon; "Billy" Dougherty, "Betty" Kelly and "Nancy" Ferry, Bristol.

Kathryn and Dolores received many nice gifts.

Another Borough To Organize to Aid 'Vets'

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ron Harris, law; Anna Lukens, American Red Cross; W. A. Thomas, education; Rev. Albert Eastburn, American Legion Services officer; and William Rossiter, Lions Club.

Several committee in central Bucks are now in the process of organizing under John J. Bridgeman, of Doylestown.

The American Legion of Newtown has selected one member to meet with the Selective Service representative, William F. Morlock. There is no movement at this time in that community to include advisors in the various fields of law, medicine, education, real estate, and business.

The county veterans committee has not had any definite reports of community advisory committee in the other sections of the county although progress reports indicate that such committees are in the process of development.

The Executive Committee of Agricultural Extension under William F. Greenawalt has been selected as the agency to advise prospective veterans on problems concerning the desirability of purchasing farms

in Bucks County. Other members of the County Veterans' Advisory Committee include: Captain George Butler, Richard Murray, Hon. Thomas B.

Stockham, Mrs. Charles B. Gary, Paul R. Sine, John J. Bridgeman, William Morlock, Jacob Schmidt, Jr., W. A. Thomas, Dr. Ruth Pedder, Roy Y. Greisamer, Leona S. Ber-

ton, Willard S. Curtin, M. R. Reiter, and Mrs. Samuel Jefferson. A representative of the committees yet to be organized will be selected at a later date.

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HUH?

JOHNNY! DON'T YOU KNOW ME?

JANIE!

"BUT, JANIE, WHAT ARE YOU DOING HERE AT THE STATION?"

MEETING YOU, OF COURSE. I PROMISED YOUR MOTHER I'D BE HERE

GOSH, JANIE, YOU WERE A KID THE LAST TIME I SAW YOU. - AT THAT WAS -

- AT YOUR MOTHER'S FUNERAL. YOU WERE THERE UNDER POLICE GUARD

"YOU STILL LIVING IN THE SAME PLACE, JANIE?"

YES, AND YOU ARE GOING THERE RIGHT NOW FOR A GOOD MEAL

I FOLLERED HIS OLD NEIGHBOR-EM TO 14 ELM STREET

HOOD. FINE

HEY, PAT! "CRACKER" MIEHL AND "PENCHE", THE LIP BROKE OUTA JAIL!

"THAT WAS A MARVELOUS MEAL, JANIE"

THANKS, JOHNNY. NOW LET'S TALK ABOUT YOU

JOHNNY, YOU'RE NOT GOING BACK TO-TO-

- TO THE OLD LIFE? NEVER! I'VE HAD ENOUGH

I'M HITTING IT STRAIGHT FROM HERE ON. IF I CAN'T ENLIST, I'LL GET A JOB - AND I'LL MAKE GOOD

I KNOW YOU WILL

"AND ZIPPO, THE CANOPENER, WAS RELEASED ON PAROLE TODAY, TOO. ALL MEMBERS OF THE SPIDER GANG... IT'LL PROBABLY ADD UP TO TROUBLE"

JANE, YOU'RE SWELL TO BELIEVE IN ME... I THINK YOU'RE GOING TO SEE ME OFTEN

I'D LIKE THAT

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